

For Operation in the Control Cabinet

3RW Soft Starters

General data

Overview

The advantages of the SIRIUS soft starters at a glance:

- Soft starting and smooth ramp-down¹⁾
- Stepless starting
- Reduction of current peaks
- Avoidance of mains voltage fluctuations during starting
- Reduced load on the power supply network
- Reduction of the mechanical load in the operating mechanism
- Considerable space savings and reduced wiring compared with conventional starters
- Maintenance-free switching
- Very easy handling
- Fits perfectly in the SIRIUS modular system



		SIRIUS 3RW30 Standard applications	SIRIUS 3RW40 Standard applications	SIRIUS 3RW44 High-Feature applications
Rated current up to 40 °C	A	3 ... 106	12.5 ... 432	29 ... 1214
Rated operational voltage	V	200 ... 480	200 ... 600	200 ... 690
Motor rating at 400 V				
• Inline circuit	kW	1.5 ... 55	5.5 ... 250	15 ... 710
• Inside-delta circuit	kW	--	--	22 ... 1200
Ambient temperature	°C	-25 ... +60	-25 ... +60	0 ... +60
Soft starting/ramp-down		✓ ¹⁾	✓	✓
Voltage ramp		✓	✓	✓
Starting/stopping voltage	%	40 ... 100	40 ... 100	20 ... 100
Starting and ramp-down time	s	0 ... 20	0 ... 20	1 ... 360
Torque control	--	--	--	✓
Starting/stopping torque	%	--	--	20 ... 100
Torque limit	%	--	--	20 ... 200
Ramp time	s	--	--	1 ... 360
Integral bypass contact system		✓	✓	✓
Intrinsic device protection	--	--	✓	✓
Motor overload protection	--	--	✓	✓
Thermistor motor protection	--	--	✓ ²⁾	✓
Integrated remote RESET	--	--	✓ ³⁾	✓
Adjustable current limiting	--	--	✓	✓
Inside-delta circuit	--	--	--	✓
Breakaway pulse	--	--	--	✓
Creep speed in both directions of rotation	--	--	--	✓
Pump ramp-down	--	--	--	✓ ⁴⁾
DC braking	--	--	--	✓ ⁴⁾ 5)
Combined braking	--	--	--	✓ ⁴⁾ 5)
Motor heating	--	--	--	✓
Communication	--	--	--	With PROFIBUS DP (optional)
External display and operator module	--	--	--	(optional)
Operating measured value display	--	--	--	✓
Error logbook	--	--	--	✓
Event list	--	--	--	✓
Slave pointer function	--	--	--	✓
Trace function	--	--	--	✓ ⁶⁾
Programmable control inputs and outputs	--	--	--	✓
Number of parameter sets		1	1	3
Parameterization software (Soft Starter ES)	--	--	--	✓
Power semiconductors (thyristors)		2 controlled phases	2 controlled phases	3 controlled phases
Screw terminals		✓	✓	✓
Spring-type terminals		✓	✓	✓
UL/CSA		✓	✓	✓
CE marking		✓	✓	✓
Soft starting under heavy starting conditions	--	--	--	✓ ⁴⁾

Configuring support

Win-Soft Starter, electronic selection slider ruler, Technical Assistance Tel.: +49 (0)911 895 5900

✓ Function is available; -- Function is not available.

¹⁾ Only soft starting available for 3RW30.

²⁾ Optional up to size S3 (device variant).

³⁾ Available for 3RW40 2. to 3RW40 4.; optional for 3RW40 5. and 3RW40 7..

⁴⁾ Calculate soft starter and motor with size allowance where required.

⁵⁾ Not possible in inside-delta circuit.

⁶⁾ Trace function with Soft Starter ES software.

You can find further information on the Internet at:

<http://www.siemens.com/softstarter>

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Overview

The SIRIUS 3RW30 soft starters reduce the motor voltage through variable phase control and increase it in ramp-like mode from a selectable starting voltage up to mains voltage. During starting, these devices limit the torque as well as the current and prevent the shocks which arise during direct starts or wye-delta starts. In this way, mechanical loads and mains voltage dips can be reliably reduced.

Soft starting reduces the stress on the connected equipment and results in lower wear and therefore longer periods of trouble-free production. The selectable start value means that the soft starters can be adjusted individually to the requirements of the application in question and unlike wye-delta starters are not restricted to two-stage starting with fixed voltage ratios.

The SIRIUS 3RW30 soft starters are characterized above all by their small space requirements. Integrated bypass contacts mean that no power loss has to be taken into the bargain at the power semiconductors (thyristors) after the motor has started up. This cuts down on heat losses, enabling a more compact design and making external bypass circuits superfluous.

Various versions of the SIRIUS 3RW30 soft starters are available:

- Standard version for fixed-speed three-phase motors, sizes S00, S0, S2 and S3, with integrated bypass contact system
- Version for fixed-speed three-phase motors in a 22.5 mm enclosure without bypass

Soft starters rated up to 55 kW (at 400 V) for standard applications in three-phase networks are available. Extremely small sizes, low power losses and simple start-up are just three of the many advantages of this soft starter.

Application

The 3RW30 soft starters are suitable for soft starting of three-phase asynchronous motors.

Due to two-phase control, the current is kept at minimum values in all three phases throughout the entire starting time. Due to continuous voltage influencing, current and torque peaks, which are unavoidable in the case of wye-delta starters, for instance, do not occur.

Application areas

- Pumps
- Heat pumps
- Hydraulic pumps
- Presses
- Conveyors
- Roller conveyor
- Screw conveyors

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3RW30 18-1BB14



3RW30 28-1BB14



3RW30 38-1BB14



3RW30 47-1BB14



3RW30 03-2CB54

Ambient temperature 40 °C				Ambient temperature 50 °C				Size	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx.
Rated operational current $I_e^{1)}$	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e			Rated operational current $I_e^{1)}$	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e										
	230 V	400 V	500 V		200 V	230 V	460 V	575 V							
A	kW	kW	kW	A	hp	hp	hp	hp							

Rated operational voltage U_e 200 ... 480 V²⁾

• With screw terminals

3.6	0.75	1.5	--	3	0.5	0.5	1.5	--	S00	▶	3RW30 13-1BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.580
6.5	1.5	3	--	4.8	1	1	3	--	S00	▶	3RW30 14-1BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.580
9	2.2	4	--	7.8	2	2	5	--	S00	▶	3RW30 16-1BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.580
12.5	3	5.5	--	11	3	3	7.5	--	S00	▶	3RW30 17-1BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.580
17.6	4	7.5	--	17	3	3	10	--	S00	▶	3RW30 18-1BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.580

• With spring-type terminals

3.6	0.75	1.5	--	3	0.5	0.5	1.5	--	S00	B	3RW30 13-2BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.580
6.5	1.5	3	--	4.8	1	1	3	--	S00	B	3RW30 14-2BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.580
9	2.2	4	--	7.8	2	2	5	--	S00	B	3RW30 16-2BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.580
12.5	3	5.5	--	11	3	3	7.5	--	S00	B	3RW30 17-2BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.580
17.6	4	7.5	--	17	3	3	10	--	S00	B	3RW30 18-2BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.580

• With screw terminals

25	5.5	11	--	23	5	5	15	--	S0	▶	3RW30 26-1BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.690
32	7.5	15	--	29	7.5	7.5	20	--	S0	▶	3RW30 27-1BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.690
38	11	18.5	--	34	10	10	25	--	S0	▶	3RW30 28-1BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.690

• With spring-type terminals

25	5.5	11	--	23	5	5	15	--	S0	B	3RW30 26-2BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.690
32	7.5	15	--	29	7.5	7.5	20	--	S0	B	3RW30 27-2BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.690
38	11	18.5	--	34	10	10	25	--	S0	B	3RW30 28-2BB□4		1	1 unit	131	0.690

• With screw-type or spring-type terminals

45	11	22	--	42	10	15	30	--	S2	▶	3RW30 36-□BB□4		1	1 unit	131	1.200
63	18.5	30	--	58	15	20	40	--	S2	▶	3RW30 37-□BB□4		1	1 unit	131	1.200
72	22	37	--	62	20	20	40	--	S2	▶	3RW30 38-□BB□4		1	1 unit	131	1.200

• With screw-type or spring-type terminals

80	22	45	--	73	20	25	50	--	S3	▶	3RW30 46-□BB□4		1	1 unit	131	1.710
106	30	55	--	98	30	30	75	--	S3	▶	3RW30 47-□BB□4		1	1 unit	131	1.710

Order No. supplement for connection types

- With screw terminals
- With spring-type terminals³⁾

Order No. supplement for rated control supply voltage U_s

- 24 V AC/DC
- 110 ... 230 V

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Soft starters for easy starting conditions and high switching frequency, rated operational voltage U_e 200 ... 400 V, rated control supply voltage U_s 24 ... 230 V AC/DC

3	0.55	1.1	--	2.6	0.5	0.5	--	--	22.5 mm							
										▶	3RW30 03-1CB54		1	1 unit	131	0.207
										A	3RW30 03-2CB54		1	1 unit	131	0.188

- With screw terminals
- With spring-type terminals

¹⁾ Stand-alone installation.

²⁾ Soft starter with screw terminals: delivery times ▶ (preferred type).

³⁾ Main circuit connection: screw terminals.

Note:

Selection of the soft starter depends on the rated motor current.

The SIRIUS 3RW30 solid-state soft starters are designed for easy starting conditions. $J_{Load} < 10 \times J_{Motor}$. In the event of deviating conditions or increased switching frequency, it may be necessary to choose a larger device.

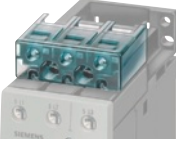


Siemens recommends the use of the selection and simulation program Win-Soft Starter. For information about rated currents for ambient temperatures > 40 °C, see technical specifications.

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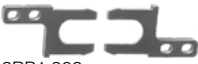
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Accessories

For soft starters		Motor starter protectors		DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx. kg
Type	Size	Size								
Auxiliary terminals										
Auxiliary terminals, 3-pole										
3RW30 4.	S3			B	3RT19 46-4F		1	1 unit	101	0.035
Covers for soft starters										
Terminal covers for box terminals Additional touch protection to be fitted at the box terminals (2 units required per device)										
	3RW30 3.	S2		▶	3RT19 36-4EA2		1	1 unit	101	0.020
	3RW30 4.	S3		▶	3RT19 46-4EA2		1	1 unit	101	0.025
Terminal covers for cable lugs and busbar connections For complying with the phase clearances and as touch protection if box terminal is removed (2 units required per contactor)										
	3RW30 4.	S3		▶	3RT19 46-4EA1		1	1 unit	101	0.040
Link modules to motor starter protectors										
	3RW30 13,	S00	S0	▶	3RA19 21-1A		1	10 units	101	0.028
	3RW30 14,									
	3RW30 16,									
	3RW30 17,									
	3RW30 18									
	3RW30 26	S0	S0	▶	3RA19 21-1A		1	10 units	101	0.028
	3RW30 36	S2	S2	▶	3RA19 31-1A		1	5 units	101	0.033
	3RW30 46,	S3	S3	▶	3RA19 41-1A		1	5 units	101	0.072
	3RW30 47									
Operating instructions¹⁾										
For soft starters										
3RW30 1.	S00				3ZX10 12-0RW30-2DA1					
3RW30 2.	S0									
3RW30 3.	S2									
3RW30 4.	S3									

¹⁾ The operating instructions are included in the scope of supply.

Version	Functionality Functions	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx. kg
Covers and push-in lugs (only for 3RW30 03)								
	Sealable covers For securing against unauthorized adjustment of setting knobs	▶	3RP1 902		1	5 units	101	0.004
	Push-in lugs For screw fixing	▶	3RP1 903		1	10 units	101	0.002

* You can order this quantity or a multiple thereof.

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More information

Application examples for normal starting (Class 10)

Normal starting Class 10 (up to 20 s with 300 % $I_{n \text{ motor}}$).

The soft starter rating can be selected to be as high as the rating of the motor used.

Application	Conveyor belt	Roller conveyor	Compressor	Small fan	Pump	Hydraulic pump
Starting parameters						
• Voltage ramp and current limiting						
- Starting voltage	%	70	60	50	40	40
- Starting time	s	10	10	20	20	10

Note:

These tables present sample set values and device sizes. They are intended only for the purposes of information and are not binding. The set values depend on the application in question and must be optimized during start-up.

The soft starter dimensions should be checked where necessary with the Win-Soft Starter software or with the help of Technical Assistance.

Configuration

The 3RW solid-state motor controllers are designed for easy starting conditions. In the event of deviating conditions or increased switching frequency, it may be necessary to choose a larger device. For accurate dimensioning, use the Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program.

If necessary, an overload relay for heavy starting must be selected where long starting times are involved. PTC sensors are recommended.

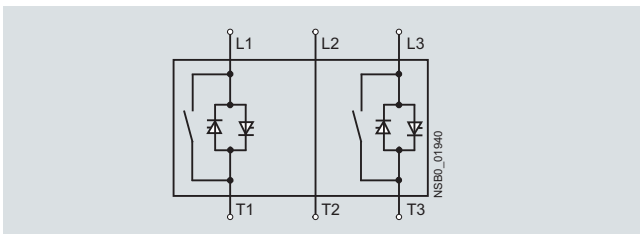
In the motor feeder between the SIRIUS 3RW soft starter and the motor, no capacitive elements are permitted (e. g. no reactive-power compensation equipment). In addition, neither static systems for reactive-power compensation nor dynamic PFC (Power Factor Correction) must be operated in parallel during starting and ramp-down of the soft starter. This is important to prevent faults arising on the compensation equipment and/or the soft starter.

All elements of the main circuit (such as fuses, controls and overload relays) should be dimensioned for direct starting, following the local short-circuit conditions. Fuses, controls and overload relays must be ordered separately. Please observe the maximum switching frequencies specified in the technical specifications.

Note:

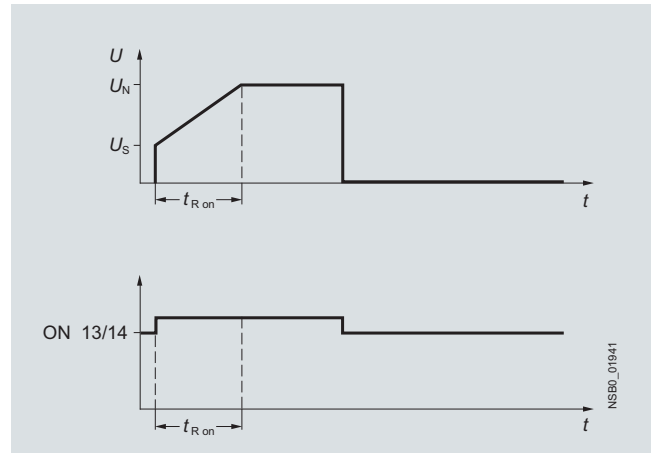
When induction motors are switched on, voltage drops normally appear on starters of all types (direct starters, wye-delta starters, soft starters). The infeed transformer must always be dimensioned such that the voltage dip when starting the motor remains within the permissible tolerance. If the infeed transformer is dimensioned with only a small margin, it is best for the control voltage to be supplied from a separate circuit (independently of the main voltage) in order to avoid the potential switching off of the soft starter.

Power electronics schematic circuit diagram



A bypass contact system is already integrated in the 3RW30 soft starter and therefore does not have to be ordered separately.

Status graphs



Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program

With this software, you can simulate and select all Siemens soft starters, taking into account various parameters such as mains properties, motor and load data, and special application requirements.

The software is a valuable tool, which makes complicated, lengthy manual calculations for determining the required soft starters superfluous.

The Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program can be downloaded from:

<http://www.siemens.de/sanftstarter> > Software

More information can be found on the Internet at:

<http://www.siemens.de/sanftstarter>

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Overview

SIRIUS 3RW40 soft starters have all the same advantages as the 3RW30 soft starters.

The SIRIUS 3RW40 soft starters are characterized above all by their small space requirements. Integrated bypass contacts mean that no power loss has to be taken into the bargain at the power semiconductors (thyristors) after the motor has started up. This cuts down on heat losses, enabling a more compact design and making external bypass circuits superfluous.

At the same time this soft starter comes with additional integrated functions such as adjustable current limiting, motor overload and intrinsic device protection, and optional thermistor motor protection. The higher the motor rating, the more important these functions because they make it unnecessary to purchase and install protection equipment such as overload relays.

Internal intrinsic device protection prevents the thermal overloading of the thyristors and the power section defects this can cause. As an option the thyristors can also be protected by semiconductor fuses from short-circuiting.

Thanks to integrated status monitoring and fault monitoring, this compact soft starter offers many different diagnostics options. Up to four LEDs and relay outputs permit differentiated monitoring and diagnostics of the operating mechanism by indicating the operating state as well as for example mains or phase failure, missing load, non-permissible tripping time/class setting, thermal overloading or device faults.

Soft starters rated up to 250 kW (at 400 V) for standard applications in three-phase networks are available. Extremely small sizes, low power losses and simple start-up are just three of the many advantages of the SIRIUS 3RW40 soft starters.

"Increased safety" type of protection EEx e according to ATEX directive 94/9/EC

The 3RW40 soft starter sizes S0 to S12 are suitable for the starting of explosion-proof motors with "increased safety" type of protection EEx e.

See "Appendix" → "Standards and approvals" → "Type overview of approved devices for potentially explosive areas (ATEX explosion protection)".

Application

The SIRIUS 3RW40 solid-state soft starters are suitable for soft starting and stopping of three-phase asynchronous motors.

Due to two-phase control, the current is kept at minimum values in all three phases throughout the entire starting time and disturbing direct current components are eliminated in addition. This not only enables the two-phase starting of motors up to 250 kW (at 400 V) but also avoids the current and torque peaks which occur e. g. with wye-delta starters.

Application areas

- Pumps
- Heat pumps
- Hydraulic pumps
- Presses
- Conveyors
- Roller conveyor
- Screw conveyors
- Escalators
- Piston compressors
- Screw compressors
- Small fans
- Centrifugal blowers
- Bow thrusters
- Stirrers
- Extruders
- Lathes
- Milling machines

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Selection and ordering data



3RW40 28-1BB14



3RW40 38-1BB14



3RW40 47-1BB14

Ambient temperature 40 °C				Ambient temperature 50 °C				Size	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx. kg
Rated operational current I_e ¹⁾	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e			Rated operational current I_e ¹⁾	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e										
	230 V	400 V	500 V		200 V	230 V	460 V	575 V							
A	kW	kW	kW	A	hp	hp	hp	hp							
Rated operational voltage U_e 200 ... 480 V ²⁾															
• With screw terminals															
12.5	3	5.5	--	11	3	3	7.5	--	S0	▶	3RW40 24-1BB□4	1	1 unit	131	0.770
25	5.5	11	--	23	5	5	15	--	S0	▶	3RW40 26-1BB□4	1	1 unit	131	0.770
32	7.5	15	--	29	7.5	7.5	20	--	S0	▶	3RW40 27-1BB□4	1	1 unit	131	0.770
38	11	18.5	--	34	10	10	25	--	S0	▶	3RW40 28-1BB□4	1	1 unit	131	0.770
• With spring-type terminals															
12.5	3	5.5	--	11	3	3	7.5	--	S0	B	3RW40 24-2BB□4	1	1 unit	131	0.770
25	5.5	11	--	23	5	5	15	--	S0	B	3RW40 26-2BB□4	1	1 unit	131	0.770
32	7.5	15	--	29	7.5	7.5	20	--	S0	B	3RW40 27-2BB□4	1	1 unit	131	0.770
38	11	18.5	--	34	10	10	25	--	S0	B	3RW40 28-2BB□4	1	1 unit	131	0.770
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
45	11	22	--	42	10	15	30	--	S2	▶	3RW40 36-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	1.350
63	18.5	30	--	58	15	20	40	--	S2	▶	3RW40 37-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	1.350
72	22	37	--	62	20	20	40	--	S2	▶	3RW40 38-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	1.350
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
80	22	45	--	73	20	25	50	--	S3	▶	3RW40 46-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	1.900
106	30	55	--	98	30	30	75	--	S3	▶	3RW40 47-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	1.900
Rated operational voltage U_e 400 ... 600 V															
• With screw terminals															
12.5	--	5.5	7.5	11	--	--	7.5	10	S0	B	3RW40 24-1BB□5	1	1 unit	131	0.770
25	--	11	15	23	--	--	15	20	S0	B	3RW40 26-1BB□5	1	1 unit	131	0.770
32	--	15	18.5	29	--	--	20	25	S0	B	3RW40 27-1BB□5	1	1 unit	131	0.770
38	--	18.5	22	34	--	--	25	30	S0	B	3RW40 28-1BB□5	1	1 unit	131	0.770
• With spring-type terminals															
12.5	--	5.5	7.5	11	--	--	7.5	10	S0	B	3RW40 24-2BB□5	1	1 unit	131	0.770
25	--	11	15	23	--	--	15	20	S0	B	3RW40 26-2BB□5	1	1 unit	131	0.770
32	--	15	18.5	29	--	--	20	25	S0	B	3RW40 27-2BB□5	1	1 unit	131	0.770
38	--	18.5	22	34	--	--	25	30	S0	B	3RW40 28-2BB□5	1	1 unit	131	0.770
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
45	--	22	30	42	--	--	30	40	S2	B	3RW40 36-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	1.350
63	--	30	37	58	--	--	40	50	S2	B	3RW40 37-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	1.350
72	--	37	45	62	--	--	40	60	S2	B	3RW40 38-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	1.350
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
80	--	45	55	73	--	--	50	60	S3	B	3RW40 46-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	1.900
106	--	55	75	98	--	--	75	75	S3	B	3RW40 47-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	1.900

Order No. supplement for connection types

- With screw terminals
- With spring-type terminals³⁾

Order No. supplement for rated control supply voltage U_c

- 24 V AC/DC
- 110 ... 230 V AC/DC

¹⁾ Stand-alone installation without auxiliary fan.

²⁾ Soft starter with screw terminals: delivery times ▶ (preferred type).

³⁾ Main circuit connection: screw terminals.

Note:

Selection of the soft starter depends on the rated motor current. The SIRIUS 3RW40 solid-state soft starters are designed for easy starting conditions. $J_{Load} < 10 \times J_{Motor}$. In the event of deviating conditions or increased switching frequency, it may be necessary to choose a larger device. Siemens recommends the use of the selection and simulation program Win-Soft Starter. For information about rated currents for ambient temperatures > 40 °C, see technical specifications.

* You can order this quantity or a multiple thereof.

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3RW40 28-1TB04



3RW40 38-1TB04



3RW40 47-1TB04

Ambient temperature 40 °C				Ambient temperature 50 °C				Size	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx. kg
Rated operational current $I_e^{1)}$	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e			Rated operational current $I_e^{1)}$	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e										
A	230 V kW	400 V kW	500 V kW	A	200 V hp	230 V hp	460 V hp	575 V hp							
Rated operational voltage U_e 200 ... 480 V ²⁾ , with thermistor motor protection, rated control supply voltage U_s 24 V AC/DC															
• With screw terminals															
12.5	3	5.5	--	11	3	3	7.5	--	S0	▶	3RW40 24-1TB04	1	1 unit	131	0.770
25	5.5	11	--	23	5	5	15	--	S0	▶	3RW40 26-1TB04	1	1 unit	131	0.770
32	7.5	15	--	29	7.5	7.5	20	--	S0	▶	3RW40 27-1TB04	1	1 unit	131	0.770
38	11	18.5	--	34	10	10	25	--	S0	▶	3RW40 28-1TB04	1	1 unit	131	0.770
• With spring-type terminals															
12.5	3	5.5	--	11	3	3	7.5	--	S0	B	3RW40 24-2TB04	1	1 unit	131	0.770
25	5.5	11	--	23	5	5	15	--	S0	B	3RW40 26-2TB04	1	1 unit	131	0.770
32	7.5	15	--	29	7.5	7.5	20	--	S0	B	3RW40 27-2TB04	1	1 unit	131	0.770
38	11	18.5	--	34	10	10	25	--	S0	B	3RW40 28-2TB04	1	1 unit	131	0.770
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
45	11	22	--	42	10	15	30	--	S2	▶	3RW40 36-□TB04	1	1 unit	131	1.350
63	18.5	30	--	58	15	20	40	--	S2	▶	3RW40 37-□TB04	1	1 unit	131	1.350
72	22	37	--	62	20	20	40	--	S2	▶	3RW40 38-□TB04	1	1 unit	131	1.350
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
80	22	45	--	73	20	25	50	--	S3	▶	3RW40 46-□TB04	1	1 unit	131	1.900
106	30	55	--	98	30	30	75	--	S3	▶	3RW40 47-□TB04	1	1 unit	131	1.900
Rated operational voltage U_e 400 ... 600 V, with thermistor motor protection, rated control supply voltage U_s 24 V AC/DC															
• With screw terminals															
12.5	--	5.5	7.5	11	--	--	7.5	10	S0	B	3RW40 24-1TB05	1	1 unit	131	0.770
25	--	11	15	23	--	--	15	20	S0	B	3RW40 26-1TB05	1	1 unit	131	0.770
32	--	15	18.5	29	--	--	20	25	S0	B	3RW40 27-1TB05	1	1 unit	131	0.770
38	--	18.5	22	34	--	--	25	30	S0	B	3RW40 28-1TB05	1	1 unit	131	0.770
• With spring-type terminals															
12.5	--	5.5	7.5	11	--	--	7.5	10	S0	B	3RW40 24-2TB05	1	1 unit	131	0.770
25	--	11	15	23	--	--	15	20	S0	B	3RW40 26-2TB05	1	1 unit	131	0.770
32	--	15	18.5	29	--	--	20	25	S0	B	3RW40 27-2TB05	1	1 unit	131	0.770
38	--	18.5	22	34	--	--	25	30	S0	B	3RW40 28-2TB05	1	1 unit	131	0.770
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
45	--	22	30	42	--	--	30	40	S2	B	3RW40 36-□TB05	1	1 unit	131	1.350
63	--	30	37	58	--	--	40	50	S2	B	3RW40 37-□TB05	1	1 unit	131	1.350
72	--	37	45	62	--	--	40	60	S2	B	3RW40 38-□TB05	1	1 unit	131	1.350
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
80	--	45	55	73	--	--	50	60	S3	B	3RW40 46-□TB05	1	1 unit	131	1.900
106	--	55	75	98	--	--	75	75	S3	B	3RW40 47-□TB05	1	1 unit	131	1.900

Order No. supplement for connection types

- With screw terminals
- With spring-type terminals³⁾

1) Stand-alone installation without auxiliary fan.

2) Soft starter with screw terminals: delivery times ▶ (preferred type).

3) Main circuit connection: screw terminals.

Note:

Selection of the soft starter depends on the rated motor current.

The SIRIUS 3RW40 solid-state soft starters are designed for easy starting conditions. $J_{Load} < 10 \times J_{Motor}$. In the event of deviating conditions or increased switching frequency, it may be necessary to choose a larger device. Siemens recommends the use of the selection and simulation program Win-Soft Starter. For information about rated currents for ambient temperatures > 40 °C, see technical specifications.

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3RW40 56-6BB44



3RW40 76-6BB44

Ambient temperature 40 °C				Ambient temperature 50 °C				Size	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx. kg
Rated operational current $I_e^{1)}$	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e			Rated operational current $I_e^{1)}$	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e										
	230 V	400 V	500 V		200 V	230 V	460 V	575 V							
A	kW	kW	kW	A	hp	hp	hp	hp							
Rated operational voltage U_e 200 ... 460 V ²⁾															
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
134	37	75	--	117	30	40	75	--	S6	B	3RW40 55-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	4.900
162	45	90	--	145	40	50	100	--		B	3RW40 56-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	6.900
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
230	75	132	--	205	60	75	150	--	S12	B	3RW40 73-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	8.900
280	90	160	--	248	75	100	200	--		B	3RW40 74-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	8.900
356	110	200	--	315	100	125	250	--		B	3RW40 75-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	8.900
432	132	250	--	385	125	150	300	--		B	3RW40 76-□BB□4	1	1 unit	131	8.900
Rated operational voltage U_e 400 ... 600 V ³⁾															
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
134	--	75	90	117	--	--	75	100	S6	B	3RW40 55-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	4.900
162	--	90	110	145	--	--	100	150		B	3RW40 56-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	6.900
• With screw or spring-type terminals															
230	--	132	160	205	--	--	150	200	S12	B	3RW40 73-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	8.900
280	--	160	200	248	--	--	200	250		B	3RW40 74-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	8.900
356	--	200	250	315	--	--	250	300		B	3RW40 75-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	8.900
432	--	250	315	385	--	--	300	400		B	3RW40 76-□BB□5	1	1 unit	131	8.900

Order No. supplement for connection types⁴⁾

- With screw terminals
- With spring-type terminals

Order No. supplement for the rated control supply voltage $U_s^{5)}$

- 115 V AC
- 230 V AC

¹⁾ Stand-alone installation.

²⁾ Soft starter with screw terminals: delivery times ► (preferred type).

³⁾ Soft starter with screw terminals: delivery time A.

⁴⁾ Main circuit connection: busbar connection.

⁵⁾ Control by way of the internal 24 V DC supply and direct control by means of PLC possible.

Note:

Selection of the soft starter depends on the rated motor current.

The SIRIUS 3RW40 solid-state soft starters are designed for easy starting conditions. $J_{Load} < 10 \times J_{Motor}$. In the event of deviating conditions or increased switching frequency, it may be necessary to choose a larger device. Siemens recommends the use of the selection and simulation program Win-Soft Starter. For information about rated currents for ambient temperatures > 40 °C, see technical specifications.

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Accessories



For soft starters		Version	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx. kg
Type	Size								
Box terminal blocks for soft starters									
For round and ribbon cables									
	3RW40 5.	S6	• Up to 70 mm ² • Up to 120 mm ²	▶	3RT19 55-4G	1	1 unit	101	0.230
				▶	3RT19 56-4G	1	1 unit	101	0.260
	3RW40 7.	S12	• Up to 240 mm ²	▶	3RT19 66-4G	1	1 unit	101	0.676
Auxiliary terminals									
Auxiliary terminals, 3-pole									
	3RW40 4.	S3		B	3RT19 46-4F	1	1 unit	101	0.035
Covers for soft starters									
Terminal covers for box terminals									
Additional touch protection to be fitted at the box terminals (2 units required per device)									
	3RW40 3.	S2		▶	3RT19 36-4EA2	1	1 unit	101	0.020
	3RW40 4.	S3		▶	3RT19 46-4EA2	1	1 unit	101	0.025
	3RW40 5.	S6		▶	3RT19 56-4EA2	1	1 unit	101	0.030
	3RW40 7.	S12		▶	3RT19 66-4EA2	1	1 unit	101	0.040
Terminal covers for cable lugs and busbar connections									
For complying with the phase clearances and as touch protection if box terminal is removed (2 units required per contactor)									
	3RW40 4.	S3		▶	3RT19 46-4EA1	1	1 unit	101	0.040
	3RW40 5.	S6		▶	3RT19 56-4EA1	1	1 unit	101	0.070
	3RW40 7.	S12		▶	3RT19 66-4EA1	1	1 unit	101	0.130
Sealing covers									
	3RW40 2. to 3RW40 4.	S0, S2, S3		▶	3RW49 00-0PB10	1	1 unit	131	0.005
	3RW40 5. and 3RW40 7.	S6, S12		▶	3RW49 00-0PB00	1	1 unit	131	0.010
Modules for RESET ¹⁾									
Modules for remote RESET, electrical									
Operating range 0.85 ... 1.1 x U _N , power consumption 80 VA AC, 70 W DC, ON period 0.2 s ... 4 s, switching frequency 60/h									
	3RW40 5. and 3RW40 7.	S6, S12	• 24 ... 30 V AC/DC • 110 ... 127 V AC/DC • 220 ... 250 V AC/DC	▶	3RU19 00-2AB71	1	1 unit	101	0.066
				▶	3RU19 00-2AF71	1	1 unit	101	0.067
				▶	3RU19 00-2AM71	1	1 unit	101	0.066
Mechanical RESET comprising									
	3RW40 5. and 3RW40 7.	S6, S12	• Resetting plungers, holders and formers • Suitable pushbutton IP65, Ø 22 mm, 12 mm stroke • Extension plunger	▶	3RU19 00-1A	1	1 unit	101	0.038
				B	3SB30 00-0EA11	1	1 unit	102	0.020
				A	3SX13 35	1	1 unit	102	0.004
Cable releases with holder for RESET									
For Ø 6.5 mm holes in the control panel; max. control panel thickness 8 mm									
	3RW40 5. and 3RW40 7.	S6, S12	• Length 400 mm • Length 600 mm	▶	3RU19 00-1B	1	1 unit	101	0.063
				▶	3RU19 00-1C	1	1 unit	101	0.073

¹⁾ Remote RESET already integrated in the 3RW40 2. to 3RW40 4. soft starters.

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	For soft starters Type	Size	Motor starter protectors Size	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx. kg
Link modules to motor starter protectors										
	3RW40 24, 3RW40 26	S0	S0	►	3RA19 21-1A		1	10 units	101	0.028
	3RW40 36	S2	S2	►	3RA19 31-1A		1	5 units	101	0.033
	3RW40 46, 3RW40 47	S3	S3	►	3RA19 41-1A		1	5 units	101	0.072
Fans (to increase switching frequency and for device mounting in positions different from the normal position)										
	3RW40 2.	S0		►	3RW49 28-8VB00		1	1 unit	131	0.010
	3RW40 3., 3RW40 4.	S2, S3		►	3RW49 47-8VB00		1	1 unit	131	0.020
Operating instructions¹⁾										
	For soft starters									
	3RW40 2.	S0			3ZX10 12-0RW40-1AA1					
	3RW40 3.	S2								
	3RW40 4.	S3								
	3RW40 5.	S6			3ZX10 12-0RW40-2DA1					
	3RW40 7.	S12								

¹⁾ The operating instructions are included in the scope of supply.

Spare parts

	For soft starters Type	Size	Version Rated control supply voltage U_s	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx. kg
Fans										
	3RW40 5.-.BB3.	S6	115 V AC	►	3RW49 36-8VX30		1	1 unit	131	0.300
	3RW40 5.-.BB4.	S6	230 V AC	►	3RW49 36-8VX40		1	1 unit	131	0.300
	3RW40 7.-.BB3.	S12	115 V AC	►	3RW49 47-8VX30		1	1 unit	131	0.500
	3RW40 7.-.BB4.	S12	230 V AC	►	3RW49 47-8VX40		1	1 unit	131	0.500

* You can order this quantity or a multiple thereof.

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More information

Application examples for normal starting (Class 10)

Normal starting Class 10 (up to 20 s with 350 % $I_{n \text{ motor}}$).

The soft starter rating can be selected to be as high as the rating of the motor used.

Application		Conveyor belt	Roller conveyor	Compressor	Small fan	Pump	Hydraulic pump
Starting parameters							
• Voltage ramp and current limiting							
- Starting voltage	%	70	60	50	40	40	40
- Starting time	s	10	10	10	10	10	10
- Current limit value		$5 \times I_M$	$5 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$
Ramp-down time	s	5	5	0	0	10	0

Application examples for heavy starting (Class 20)

Heavy starting Class 20 (up to 40 s with 350 % $I_{n \text{ motor}}$).

The soft starter has to be selected at least one rating class higher than the motor used.

Application		Stirrer	Centrifuge
Starting parameters			
• Voltage ramp and current limiting			
- Starting voltage	%	40	40
- Starting time	s	20	20
- Current limit value		$4 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$
Ramp-down time		0	0

Note:

These tables present sample set values and device sizes. They are intended only for the purposes of information and are not binding. The set values depend on the application in question and must be optimized during start-up.

The soft starter dimensions should be checked where necessary with the Win-Soft Starter software or with the help of Technical Assistance.

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Configuration

The 3RW solid-state soft starters are designed for easy starting conditions. In the event of deviating conditions or increased switching frequency, it may be necessary to choose a larger device. For accurate dimensioning, use the Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program.

Where long starting times are involved, the integrated solid-state overload relay for heavy starting should not be disconnected. PTC sensors are recommended. This also applies for the smooth ramp-down because during the ramp-down time an additional current loading applies in contrast to free ramp-down.

In the case of high switching frequencies in S4 mode, Siemens recommends the use of PTC sensors. For corresponding device versions with integrated thermistor motor protection or separate thermistor evaluation devices see Chapter 7 "Monitoring and Control Devices".

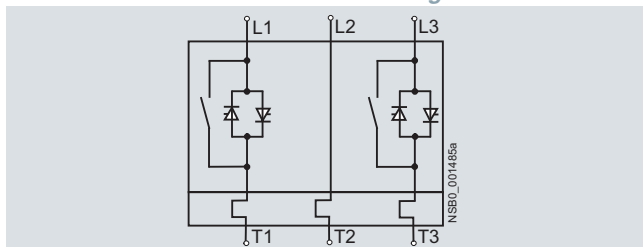
In the motor feeder between the SIRIUS 3RW soft starter and the motor, no capacitive elements are permitted (e. g. no reactive-power compensation equipment). In addition, neither static systems for reactive-power compensation nor dynamic PFC (Power Factor Correction) must be operated in parallel during starting and ramp-down of the soft starter. This is important to prevent faults arising on the compensation equipment and/or the soft starter.

All elements of the main circuit (such as fuses and controls) should be dimensioned for direct starting, following the local short-circuit conditions. Fuses, controls and overload relays must be ordered separately. Please observe the maximum switching frequencies specified in the technical specifications.

Note:

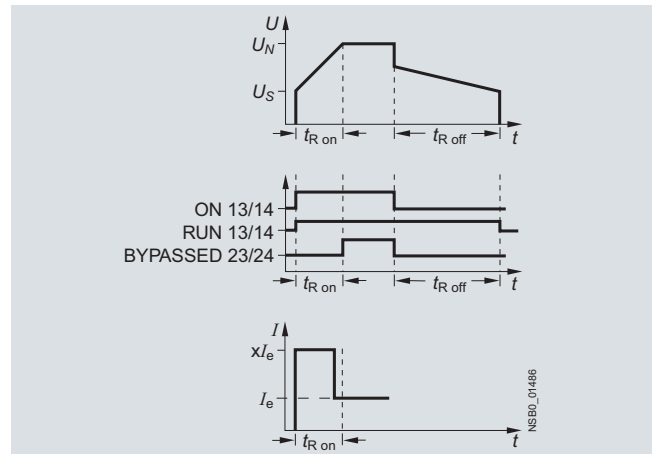
When induction motors are switched on, voltage drops normally appear on starters of all types (direct starters, wye-delta starters, soft starters). The infeed transformer must always be dimensioned such that the voltage dip when starting the motor remains within the permissible tolerance. If the infeed transformer is dimensioned with only a small margin, it is best for the control voltage to be supplied from a separate circuit (independently of the main voltage) in order to avoid the potential switching off of the soft starter.

Power electronics schematic circuit diagram



A bypass contact system and solid-state overload relay are already integrated in the 3RW40 soft starter and therefore do not have to be ordered separately.

Status graphs



Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program

With this software, you can simulate and select all Siemens soft starters, taking into account various parameters such as mains properties, motor and load data, and special application requirements.

The software is a valuable tool, which makes complicated, lengthy manual calculations for determining the required soft starters superfluous.

The Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program can be downloaded from:

<http://www.siemens.com/softstarter> > Software

More information can be found on the Internet at:

<http://www.siemens.com/softstarter>

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Overview

In addition to soft starting and soft ramp-down, the solid-state SIRIUS 3RW44 soft starters provide numerous functions for higher-level requirements. They cover a performance range up to 710 kW (at 400 V) in the inline circuit and up to 1200 kW (at 400 V) in the inside-delta circuit.

The SIRIUS 3RW44 soft starters are characterized by a compact design for space-saving and clearly arranged control cabinet layouts. For optimized motor starting and stopping the innovative SIRIUS 3RW44 soft starters are an attractive alternative with considerable savings potential compared to applications with a frequency converter. The new torque control and adjustable current limiting enable the High-Feature soft starters to be used in nearly every conceivable task. They guarantee the reliable avoidance of sudden torque applications and current peaks during motor starting and stopping. This creates savings potential when calculating the size of the switchgear and when servicing the machinery installed. Be it for inline circuits or inside-delta circuits – the SIRIUS 3RW44 soft starter offers savings especially in terms of size and equipment costs.

The bypass contacts already integrated in the soft starter bypass the thyristors after a motor ramp-up is detected. This results in a further great reduction in the heat loss occurring during operation of the soft starter at rated value.

Combinations of various starting, operating and ramp-down possibilities ensure an optimum adaptation to the application-specific requirements. Operation and commissioning can be performed with the menu-controlled keypad and a menu-prompted, multi-line graphic display with background lighting. The optimized motor ramp-up and ramp-down can be effected quickly, easily and reliably by means of just a few settings with a previously selected language. Four-key operation and plain-text displays for each menu point guarantee full clarity at every moment of the parameterization and operation.

Applicable standards

- IEC 60947-4-2
- UL/CSA

Soft Starter ES parameterization software

Soft Starter ES software is used for the parameterization, monitoring and service diagnostics of SIRIUS 3RW44 High Feature soft starters.

See Chapter 12 "Planning and Configuration with SIRIUS".

Application

The SIRIUS 3RW44 solid-state soft starters are suitable for the torque-controlled soft starting and smooth ramp-down as well as braking of three-phase asynchronous motors.

Application areas, e. g.

- Pumps
- Fans
- Compressors
- Water transport
- Conveying systems and lifts
- Hydraulics
- Machine tools
- Mills
- Saws
- Breakers
- Mixers
- Centrifuges
- Industrial cooling and refrigerating systems

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Selection and ordering data



3RW44 27-1BC44



3RW44 36-6BC44



3RW44 47-6BC44



3RW44 58-6BC44



3RW44 66-6BC44

Ambient temperature 40 °C						Ambient temperature 50 °C				DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx.
Rated operational current I_e	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e					Rated operational current I_e	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e									
A	230 V	400 V	500 V	690 V	1000 V	A	200 V	230 V	460 V	575 V						kg
	kW	kW	kW	kW	kW		hp	hp	hp	hp						

Inline circuits, rated operational voltage 200 ... 460 V¹⁾

29	5.5	15	--	--	--	26	7.5	7.5	15	--	▶	3RW44 22-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	6.500
36	7.5	18.5	--	--	--	32	10	10	20	--	▶	3RW44 23-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	6.500
47	11	22	--	--	--	42	10	15	25	--	▶	3RW44 24-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	6.500
57	15	30	--	--	--	51	15	15	30	--	▶	3RW44 25-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	6.500
77	18.5	37	--	--	--	68	20	20	50	--	▶	3RW44 26-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	6.500
93	22	45	--	--	--	82	25	25	60	--	▶	3RW44 27-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	6.500

Order No. supplement for connection types

- With spring-type terminals
- With screw terminals

113	30	55	--	--	--	100	30	30	75	--	B	3RW44 34-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	7.900
134	37	75	--	--	--	117	30	40	75	--	B	3RW44 35-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	7.900
162	45	90	--	--	--	145	40	50	100	--	B	3RW44 36-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	7.900
203	55	110	--	--	--	180	50	60	125	--	B	3RW44 43-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	11.500
250	75	132	--	--	--	215	60	75	150	--	B	3RW44 44-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	11.500
313	90	160	--	--	--	280	75	100	200	--	B	3RW44 45-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	11.500
356	110	200	--	--	--	315	100	125	250	--	B	3RW44 46-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	11.500
432	132	250	--	--	--	385	125	150	300	--	B	3RW44 47-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	11.500
551	160	315	--	--	--	494	150	200	400	--	C	3RW44 53-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	50.000
615	200	355	--	--	--	551	150	200	450	--	C	3RW44 54-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	50.000
693	200	400	--	--	--	615	200	250	500	--	C	3RW44 55-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	50.000
780	250	450	--	--	--	693	200	250	600	--	C	3RW44 56-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	50.000
880	250	500	--	--	--	780	250	300	700	--	C	3RW44 57-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	50.000
970	315	560	--	--	--	850	300	350	750	--	C	3RW44 58-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	50.000
1076	355	630	--	--	--	970	350	400	850	--	C	3RW44 65-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	78.000
1214	400	710	--	--	--	1076	350	450	950	--	C	3RW44 66-□BC□4	1	1 unit	131	78.000

Order No. supplement for connection types

- With spring-type terminals
- With screw terminals

Order No. supplement for the rated control supply voltage U_s ²⁾

- 115 V AC
- 230 V AC

¹⁾ 3RW44 2... 3RW44 4... soft starters with screw terminals: delivery times ▶ (preferred type).

²⁾ Control by way of the internal 24 V DC supply and direct control by means of PLC possible.

Note:

Soft starter selection depends on the rated motor current.

The 3RW44 solid-state soft starters are designed for normal starting (Class 10). (Inertia load of the overall operating mechanism $J_{Load} < 10 \times J_{Motor}$; starting current 350 % $\times I_e$ for 20 s similar load). For any other conditions of use, the devices should be selected using the Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program. See Technical specifications for information about rated currents for ambient temperatures > 40 °C and switching frequency.

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Ambient temperature 40 °C						Ambient temperature 50 °C					DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx.		
Rated operational current I_e	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e					Rated operational current I_e	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e												
	230 V	400 V	500 V	690 V	1000 V		200 V	230 V	460 V	575 V									
A	kW	kW	kW	kW	kW	A	hp	hp	hp	hp							kg		
Inline circuits, rated operational voltage 400 ... 600 V ¹⁾																			
29	--	15	18.5	--	--	26	--	--	15	20	A	3RW44 22-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
36	--	18.5	22	--	--	32	--	--	20	25	A	3RW44 23-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
47	--	22	30	--	--	42	--	--	25	30	A	3RW44 24-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
57	--	30	37	--	--	51	--	--	30	40	A	3RW44 25-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
77	--	37	45	--	--	68	--	--	50	50	A	3RW44 26-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
93	--	45	55	--	--	82	--	--	60	75	A	3RW44 27-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
Order No. supplement for connection types																			
• With spring-type terminals												3							
• With screw terminals												1							
113	--	55	75	--	--	100	--	--	75	75	B	3RW44 34-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	7.900			
134	--	75	90	--	--	117	--	--	75	100	B	3RW44 35-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	7.900			
162	--	90	110	--	--	145	--	--	100	125	B	3RW44 36-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	7.900			
203	--	110	132	--	--	180	--	--	125	150	B	3RW44 43-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	11.500			
250	--	132	160	--	--	215	--	--	150	200	B	3RW44 44-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	11.500			
313	--	160	200	--	--	280	--	--	200	250	B	3RW44 45-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	11.500			
356	--	200	250	--	--	315	--	--	250	300	B	3RW44 46-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	11.500			
432	--	250	315	--	--	385	--	--	300	400	B	3RW44 47-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	11.500			
551	--	315	355	--	--	494	--	--	400	500	C	3RW44 53-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
615	--	355	400	--	--	551	--	--	450	600	C	3RW44 54-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
693	--	400	500	--	--	615	--	--	500	700	C	3RW44 55-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
780	--	450	560	--	--	693	--	--	600	750	C	3RW44 56-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
880	--	500	630	--	--	780	--	--	700	850	C	3RW44 57-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
970	--	560	710	--	--	850	--	--	750	900	C	3RW44 58-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
1076	--	630	800	--	--	970	--	--	850	1100	C	3RW44 65-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	78.000			
1214	--	710	900	--	--	1076	--	--	950	1200	C	3RW44 66-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	78.000			

Order No. supplement for connection types

- With spring-type terminals
- With screw terminals

Order No. supplement for the rated control supply voltage U_s ²⁾

- 115 V AC
- 230 V AC

¹⁾ Soft starter with screw terminals:
3RW44 2. ... 3RW44 4. Delivery time A,
3RW44 5. ... 3RW44 6. Delivery time B.

²⁾ Control by way of the internal 24 V DC supply and direct control by means of PLC possible.

Note:

Soft starter selection depends on the rated motor current.

The 3RW44 solid-state soft starters are designed for normal starting (Class 10). (Inertia load of the overall operating mechanism $J_{Load} < 10 \times J_{Motor}$; starting current $350 \% \times I_e$ for 20 s similar load). For any other conditions of use, the devices should be selected using the Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program. See Technical specifications for information about rated currents for ambient temperatures $> 40^\circ\text{C}$ and switching frequency.

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3RW44 for high-feature applications

Ambient temperature 40 °C						Ambient temperature 50 °C					DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx. kg
Rated operational current I_e	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e					Rated operational current I_e	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e										
	230 V	400 V	500 V	690 V	1000 V		200 V	230 V	460 V	575 V							
A	kW	kW	kW	kW	kW	A	hp	hp	hp	hp							
Inline circuits, rated operational voltage 400 ... 690 V																	
29	--	15	18.5	30	--	26	--	--	15	20	B	3RW44 22-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	6.500	
36	--	18.5	22	37	--	32	--	--	20	25	B	3RW44 23-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	6.500	
47	--	22	30	45	--	42	--	--	25	30	B	3RW44 24-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	6.500	
57	--	30	37	55	--	51	--	--	30	40	B	3RW44 25-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	6.500	
77	--	37	45	75	--	68	--	--	50	50	B	3RW44 26-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	6.500	
93	--	45	55	90	--	82	--	--	60	75	B	3RW44 27-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	6.500	
Order No. supplement for connection types																	
• With spring-type terminals																	
• With screw terminals																	
113	--	55	75	110	--	100	--	--	75	75	B	3RW44 34-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	7.900	
134	--	75	90	132	--	117	--	--	75	100	B	3RW44 35-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	7.900	
162	--	90	110	160	--	145	--	--	100	125	B	3RW44 36-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	7.900	
203	--	110	132	200	--	180	--	--	125	150	B	3RW44 43-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	11.500	
250	--	132	160	250	--	215	--	--	150	200	B	3RW44 44-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	11.500	
313	--	160	200	315	--	280	--	--	200	250	B	3RW44 45-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	11.500	
356	--	200	250	355	--	315	--	--	250	300	B	3RW44 46-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	11.500	
432	--	250	315	400	--	385	--	--	300	400	B	3RW44 47-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	11.500	
551	--	315	355	560	--	494	--	--	400	500	C	3RW44 53-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	50.000	
615	--	355	400	630	--	551	--	--	450	600	C	3RW44 54-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	50.000	
693	--	400	500	710	--	615	--	--	500	700	C	3RW44 55-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	50.000	
780	--	450	560	800	--	693	--	--	600	750	C	3RW44 56-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	50.000	
880	--	500	630	900	--	780	--	--	700	850	C	3RW44 57-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	50.000	
970	--	560	710	1000	--	850	--	--	750	900	C	3RW44 58-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	50.000	
1076	--	630	800	1100	--	970	--	--	850	1100	C	3RW44 65-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	78.000	
1214	--	710	900	1200	--	1076	--	--	950	1200	C	3RW44 66-□BC□6	1	1 unit	131	78.000	

Order No. supplement for connection types

- With spring-type terminals
- With screw terminals

Order No. supplement for the rated control supply voltage U_s ¹⁾

- 115 V AC
- 230 V AC

¹⁾ Control by way of the internal 24 V DC supply and direct control by means of PLC possible.

Note:

Soft starter selection depends on the rated motor current.

The 3RW44 solid-state soft starters are designed for normal starting (Class 10). (Inertia load of the overall operating mechanism $J_{Load} < 10 \times J_{Motor}$; starting current 350 % $\times I_e$ for 20 s similar load). For any other conditions of use, the devices should be selected using the Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program. See Technical specifications for information about rated currents for ambient temperatures > 40 °C and switching frequency.

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3RW44 27-1BC44



3RW44 36-6BC44



3RW44 47-6BC44



3RW44 58-6BC44



3RW44 66-6BC44

Ambient temperature 40 °C						Ambient temperature 50 °C					DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx.
Rated operational current I_e ¹⁾	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e					Rated operational current I_e	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e										
A	230 V	400 V	500 V	690 V	1000 V	A	200 V	230 V	460 V	575 V							kg
	kW	kW	kW	kW	kW		hp	hp	hp	hp							

Inside-delta circuits, rated operational voltage 200 ... 460 V²⁾

50	15	22	--	--	--	45	10	15	30	--	▶	3RW44 22-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	6.500
62	18.5	30	--	--	--	55	15	20	40	--	▶	3RW44 23-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	6.500
81	22	45	--	--	--	73	20	25	50	--	▶	3RW44 24-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	6.500
99	30	55	--	--	--	88	25	30	60	--	▶	3RW44 25-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	6.500
133	37	75	--	--	--	118	30	40	75	--	▶	3RW44 26-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	6.500
161	45	90	--	--	--	142	40	50	100	--	▶	3RW44 27-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	6.500

Order No. supplement for connection types

- With spring-type terminals
- With screw terminals

196	55	110	--	--	--	173	50	60	125	--	B	3RW44 34-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	7.900
232	75	132	--	--	--	203	60	75	150	--	B	3RW44 35-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	7.900
281	90	160	--	--	--	251	75	100	200	--	B	3RW44 36-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	7.900
352	110	200	--	--	--	312	100	125	250	--	B	3RW44 43-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	11.500
433	132	250	--	--	--	372	125	150	300	--	B	3RW44 44-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	11.500
542	160	315	--	--	--	485	150	200	400	--	B	3RW44 45-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	11.500
617	200	355	--	--	--	546	150	200	450	--	B	3RW44 46-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	11.500
748	250	400	--	--	--	667	200	250	600	--	B	3RW44 47-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	11.500
954	315	560	--	--	--	856	300	350	750	--	C	3RW44 53-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	50.000
1065	355	630	--	--	--	954	350	400	850	--	C	3RW44 54-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	50.000
1200	400	710	--	--	--	1065	350	450	950	--	C	3RW44 55-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	50.000
1351	450	800	--	--	--	1200	450	500	1050	--	C	3RW44 56-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	50.000
1524	500	900	--	--	--	1351	450	600	1200	--	C	3RW44 57-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	50.000
1680	560	1000	--	--	--	1472	550	650	1300	--	C	3RW44 58-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	50.000
1864	630	1100	--	--	--	1680	650	750	1500	--	C	3RW44 65-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	78.000
2103	710	1200	--	--	--	1864	700	850	1700	--	C	3RW44 66-□BC□4		1	1 unit	131	78.000

Order No. supplement for connection types

- With spring-type terminals
- With screw terminals

Order No. supplement for the rated control supply voltage U_s ³⁾

- 115 V AC
- 230 V AC

¹⁾ In the selection table, the unit rated current I_e refers to the induction motor's rated operational current in the inside-delta circuit. The actual current of the device is approx. 58 % of this value.

²⁾ 3RW44 2 ... 3RW44 4, soft starters with screw terminals: delivery times ▶ (preferred type),

³⁾ Control by way of the internal 24 V DC supply and direct control by means of PLC possible.

Note:

Soft starter selection depends on the rated motor current.

The 3RW44 solid-state soft starters are designed for normal starting (Class 10). (Inertia load of the overall operating mechanism $J_{Load} < 10 \times J_{Motor}$; starting current 350 % $\times I_e$ for 20 s similar load). For any other conditions of use, the devices should be selected using the Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program. See Technical specifications for information about rated currents for ambient temperatures > 40 °C and switching frequency.

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Ambient temperature 40 °C						Ambient temperature 50 °C					DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx.		
Rated operational current $I_e^{1)}$	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e					Rated operational current I_e	Rated power of induction motors for rated operational voltage U_e												
A	230 V	400 V	500 V	690 V	1000 V	A	200 V	230 V	460 V	575 V									
	kW	kW	kW	kW	kW		hp	hp	hp	hp									
Inside-delta circuits, rated operational voltage 400 ... 600 V ²⁾																			
50	--	22	30	--	--	45	--	--	30	40	A	3RW44 22-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
62	--	30	37	--	--	55	--	--	40	50	A	3RW44 23-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
81	--	45	45	--	--	73	--	--	50	60	A	3RW44 24-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
99	--	55	55	--	--	88	--	--	60	75	A	3RW44 25-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
133	--	75	90	--	--	118	--	--	75	100	A	3RW44 26-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
161	--	90	110	--	--	142	--	--	100	125	A	3RW44 27-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	6.500			
Order No. supplement for connection types																			
• With spring-type terminals												3							
• With screw terminals												1							
196	--	110	132	--	--	173	--	--	125	150	B	3RW44 34-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	7.900			
232	--	132	160	--	--	203	--	--	150	200	B	3RW44 35-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	7.900			
281	--	160	200	--	--	251	--	--	200	250	B	3RW44 36-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	7.900			
352	--	200	250	--	--	312	--	--	250	300	B	3RW44 43-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	11.500			
433	--	250	315	--	--	372	--	--	300	350	B	3RW44 44-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	11.500			
542	--	315	355	--	--	485	--	--	400	500	B	3RW44 45-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	11.500			
617	--	355	450	--	--	546	--	--	450	600	B	3RW44 46-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	11.500			
748	--	400	500	--	--	667	--	--	600	750	B	3RW44 47-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	11.500			
954	--	560	630	--	--	856	--	--	750	950	C	3RW44 53-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
1065	--	630	710	--	--	954	--	--	850	1050	C	3RW44 54-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
1200	--	710	800	--	--	1065	--	--	950	1200	C	3RW44 55-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
1351	--	800	900	--	--	1200	--	--	1050	1350	C	3RW44 56-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
1524	--	900	1000	--	--	1351	--	--	1200	1500	C	3RW44 57-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
1680	--	1000	1200	--	--	1472	--	--	1300	1650	C	3RW44 58-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	50.000			
1864	--	1100	1350	--	--	1680	--	--	1500	1900	C	3RW44 65-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	78.000			
2103	--	1200	1500	--	--	1864	--	--	1700	2100	C	3RW44 66-□BC□5	1	1 unit	131	78.000			

Order No. supplement for connection types

- With spring-type terminals
- With screw terminals

Order No. supplement for the rated control supply voltage $U_s^{3)}$

- 115 V AC
- 230 V AC

¹⁾ In the selection table, the unit rated current I_e refers to the induction motor's rated operational current in the inside-delta circuit. The actual current of the device is approx. 58 % of this value.

²⁾ Soft starter with screw terminals:
3RW44 2. ... 3RW44 4. Delivery time A
3RW44 5. ... 3RW44 6. Delivery time B.

³⁾ Control by way of the internal 24 V DC supply and direct control by means of PLC possible.

Note:

Soft starter selection depends on the rated motor current.

The 3RW44 solid-state soft starters are designed for normal starting (Class 10). (Inertia load of the overall operating mechanism $J_{Load} < 10 \times J_{Motor}$; starting current 350 % $\times I_e$ for 20 s similar load). For any other conditions of use, the devices should be selected using the Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program. See Technical specifications for information about rated currents for ambient temperatures > 40 °C and switching frequency.

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Accessories

	For soft starters	Version	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx. kg
Type									
Soft Starter ES 2007 PC communication programs ²⁾									
	Soft Starter ES 2007 Basic								
	Floating license for one user E-SW, software and documentation on CD, 3 languages (English/French/German), communication through system interface • License key on USB stick, Class A, including CD			B	3ZS1 313-4CC10-0YA5	1	1 unit	131	0.230
	Soft Starter ES 2007 Standard								
	Floating license for one user E-SW, software and documentation on CD, 3 languages (English/French/German), communication through system interface • License key on USB stick, Class A, including CD			B	3ZS1 313-5CC10-0YA5	1	1 unit	131	0.230
	Soft Starter ES 2007 Premium								
	Floating license for one user E-SW, software and documentation on CD, 3 languages (English/French/German), communication through system interface or PROFIBUS • License key on USB stick, Class A, including CD			B	3ZS1 313-6CC10-0YA5	1	1 unit	131	0.230
PC cables									
	For PC/PG communication with SIRIUS 3RW44 soft starters			A	3UF7 940-0AA00-0	1	1 unit	131	0.150
	Through the system interface, for connecting to the serial interface of the PC/PG								
USB/serial adapters									
	For connecting the PC cable to the USB interface of a PC			B	3UF7 946-0AA00-0	1	1 unit	131	0.150
	We recommend, in conjunction with 3RW44 soft starter, using SIMOCODE pro 3UF7, 3RK3 modular safety system, ET 200S/ECOFAS/ET 200pro motor starters, AS-i safety monitor, AS-i analyzer								
PROFIBUS communication modules									
	Modules can be plugged into the soft starters for integrating the starters in the PROFIBUS network with DPV1 slave functionality. On Y-link the soft starter has only DPV0 slave functionality.			A	3RW49 00-0KC00	1	1 unit	131	0.320
	3RW49 00-0KC00								
External display and operator modules									
	For indicating and operating the functions provided by the soft starter using an externally mounted display and operator module in degree of protection IP54 (e. g. in the control cabinet door)			▶	3RW49 00-0AC00	1	1 unit	131	0.320
	Connection cables								
3RW49 00-0AC00	From the device interface (serial) of the 3RW44 soft starter to the external display and operator module								
	• Length 0.5 m, flat			A	3UF7 932-0AA00-0	1	1 unit	131	0.020
	• Length 0.5 m, round			A	3UF7 932-0BA00-0	1	1 unit	131	0.050
	• Length 1.0 m, round			A	3UF7 937-0BA00-0	1	1 unit	131	0.100
	• Length 2.5 m, round			A	3UF7 933-0BA00-0	1	1 unit	131	0.150
Box terminal blocks for soft starters									
	Box terminal blocks								
	3RW44 2. Included in the scope of supply								
	3RW44 3. • Up to 70 mm ² • Up to 120 mm ²			▶	3RT19 55-4G	1	1 unit	101	0.230
	3RW44 4. • Up to 240 mm ²			▶	3RT19 56-4G	1	1 unit	101	0.260
				▶	3RT19 66-4G	1	1 unit	101	0.676
3RT19									

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	For soft starters	Version	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx.
	Type								kg
Covers for soft starters									
Terminal covers for box terminals									
Additional touch protection to be fitted at the box terminals (2 units required per device)									
3RW44 2. and 3RW44 3.									
▶ 3RT19 56-4EA2						1	1 unit	101	0.030
3RW44 4.									
▶ 3RT19 66-4EA2						1	1 unit	101	0.040
Terminal covers for cable lugs and busbar connections									
3RW44 2. and 3RW44 3.									
▶ 3RT19 56-4EA1						1	1 unit	101	0.070
3RW44 4.									
▶ 3RT19 66-4EA1						1	1 unit	101	0.130
Operating instructions¹⁾									
For 3RW44 soft starters									
3ZX10 12-0RW44-1AA1									

¹⁾ The operating instructions are included in the scope of supply.

²⁾ For more information on the Soft Starter ES software see Chapter 12 "Planning and Configuration with SIRIUS".

Spare parts

	For soft starters	Version	DT	Order No.	Price per PU	PU (UNIT, SET, M)	PS*	PG	Weight per PU approx.
	Type								kg
Fans									
Fans									
3RW44 2. and 3RW44 3.									
▶ 3RW49 36-8VX30						1	1 unit	131	0.300
▶ 3RW49 36-8VX40						1	1 unit	131	0.300
3RW44 4.									
▶ 3RW49 47-8VX30						1	1 unit	131	0.500
▶ 3RW49 47-8VX40						1	1 unit	131	0.500
3RW44 5. and 3RW44 6. ¹⁾									
▶ 3RW49 57-8VX30						1	1 unit	131	0.800
▶ 3RW49 57-8VX40						1	1 unit	131	0.800
3RW44 6. ²⁾									
▶ 3RW49 66-8VX30						1	1 unit	131	0.300
▶ 3RW49 66-8VX40						1	1 unit	131	0.300

¹⁾ 3RW44 6. mounting on output side.

²⁾ For mounting on front side.

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More information

Application examples for normal starting (Class 10)

Normal starting Class 10 (up to 20 s with 350 % $I_{n \text{ motor}}$).

The soft starter rating can be selected to be as high as the rating of the motor used.

Application	Conveyor belt	Roller conveyor	Compressor	Small fan	Pump	Hydraulic pump
Starting parameters						
• Voltage ramp and current limiting						
- Starting voltage %	70	60	50	30	30	30
- Starting time s	10	10	10	10	10	10
- Current limit value	Deactivated	Deactivated	$4 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$	Deactivated	Deactivated
• Torque ramp						
- Starting torque	60	50	40	20	10	10
- End torque	150	150	150	150	150	150
- Starting time	10	10	10	10	10	10
• Breakaway pulse	Deactivated (0 ms)	Deactivated (0 ms)	Deactivated (0 ms)	Deactivated (0 ms)	Deactivated (0 ms)	Deactivated (0 ms)
Ramp-down mode	Smooth ramp-down	Smooth ramp-down	Free ramp-down	Free ramp-down	Pump ramp-down	Free ramp-down

Application examples for heavy starting (Class 20)

Heavy starting Class 20 (up to 40 s with 350 % $I_{n \text{ motor}}$).

The soft starter has to be selected one rating class higher than the motor used.

Application	Stirrer	Centrifuge	Milling machine
Starting parameters			
• Voltage ramp and current limiting			
- Starting voltage %	30	30	30
- Starting time s	30	30	30
- Current limit value	$4 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$
• Torque ramp			
- Starting torque	30	30	30
- End torque	150	150	150
- Starting time	30	30	30
• Breakaway pulse	Deactivated (0 ms)	Deactivated (0 ms)	Deactivated (0 ms)
Ramp-down mode	Free ramp-down	Free ramp-down	Free ramp-down or DC braking

Application examples for very heavy starting (Class 30)

Very heavy starting Class 30 (up to 60 s with 350 % $I_{n \text{ motor}}$).

The soft starter has to be selected two rating classes higher than the motor used.

Application	Large fan	Mill	Breakers	Circular saw/bandsaw
Starting parameters				
• Voltage ramp and current limiting				
- Starting voltage %	30	50	50	30
- Starting time s	60	60	60	60
- Current limit value	$4 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$	$4 \times I_M$
• Torque ramp				
- Starting torque	20	50	50	20
- End torque	150	150	150	150
- Starting time	60	60	60	60
• Breakaway pulse	Deactivated (0 ms)	80 %, 300 ms	80 %, 300 ms	Deactivated (0 ms)
Ramp-down mode	Free ramp-down	Free ramp-down	Free ramp-down	Free ramp-down

Note:

These tables present sample set values and device sizes. They are intended only for the purposes of information and are not binding. The set values depend on the application in question and must be optimized during start-up.

The soft starter dimensions should be checked where necessary with the Win-Soft Starter software or with the help of Technical Assistance.

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3RW44 for high-feature applications

Circuit concept

The SIRIUS 3RW44 soft starters can be operated in two different types of circuit.

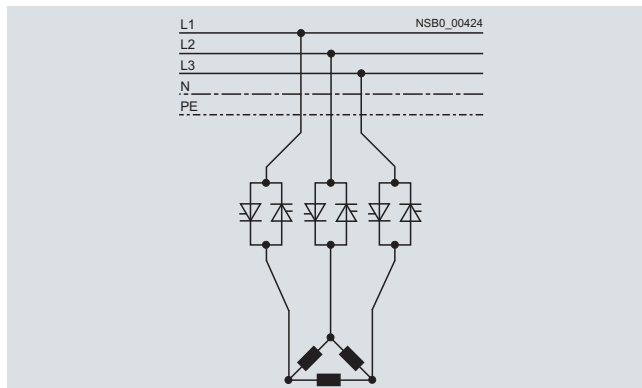
- Inline circuit

The controls for isolating and protecting the motor are simply connected in series with the soft starter. The motor is connected to the soft starter with three cables.

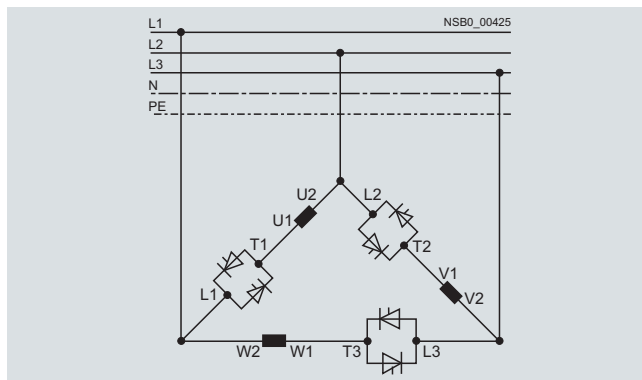
- Inside-delta circuit

The wiring is similar to that of wye-delta starters. The phases of the soft starter are connected in series with the individual motor windings. The soft starter then only has to carry the phase current, amounting to about 58 % of the rated motor current (conductor current).

Comparison of the types of circuit



Inline circuit:
Rated current I_g corresponds to the rated motor current I_n ,
3 cables to the motor



Inside-delta circuit:
Rated current I_g corresponds to approx. 58 % of the rated motor current I_n , 6 cables to the motor (as with wye-delta starters)

Which circuit?

Using the inline circuit involves the lowest wiring outlay. If the soft starter to motor connections are long, this circuit is preferable. With the inside-delta circuit there is double the wiring complexity but a smaller size of device can be used at the same rating.

Thanks to the choice of operating mode between the inline circuit and inside-delta circuit, it is always possible to select the most favorable solution.

The braking function is possible only in the inline circuit.

Configuration

The 3RW44 solid-state soft starters are designed for normal starting. In case of heavy starting or increased starting frequency, a larger device must be selected.

For long starting times it is recommended to have a PTC sensor in the motor. This also applies for the ramp-down modes smooth ramp-down, pump ramp-down and DC braking, because during the ramp-down time in these modes, an additional current load applies in contrast to free ramp-down.

In the motor feeder between the SIRIUS 3RW soft starter and the motor, no capacitive elements are permitted (e. g. no reactive-power compensation equipment). In addition, neither static systems for reactive-power compensation nor dynamic PFC (Power Factor Correction) must be operated in parallel during starting and ramp-down of the soft starter. This is important to prevent faults arising on the compensation equipment and/or the soft starter.

All elements of the main circuit (such as fuses and controls) should be dimensioned for direct starting, following the local short-circuit conditions. Fuses, controls and overload relays must be ordered separately.

A bypass contact system and solid-state overload relay are already integrated in the 3RW44 soft starter and therefore do not have to be ordered separately.

The harmonic component load for starting currents must be taken into consideration for the selection of motor starter protectors (selection of release).

Note:

When induction motors are switched on, voltage drops normally appear on starters of all types (direct starters, wye-delta starters, soft starters). The infeed transformer must always be dimensioned such that the voltage dip when starting the motor remains within the permissible tolerance. If the infeed transformer is dimensioned with only a small margin, it is best for the control voltage to be supplied from a separate circuit (independently of the main voltage) in order to avoid the potential switching off of the soft starter.

Device interface, PROFIBUS DP communication module, Soft Starter ES parameterizing and operating software

The 3RW44 electronic soft starters have a PC interface for communicating with the Soft Starter ES software or for connecting the external display and operator module. If the optional PROFIBUS communication module is used, the 3RW44 soft starter can be integrated in the PROFIBUS network and communicate using the GSD file or Soft Starter ES Premium software.

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Manual for SIRIUS 3RW44

Besides containing all important information on configuring, commissioning and servicing, the manual also contains example circuits and the technical specifications for all devices.

Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program

With this software, you can simulate and select all Siemens soft starters, taking into account various parameters such as mains properties, motor and load data, and special application requirements.

The software is a valuable tool, which makes complicated, lengthy manual calculations for determining the required soft starters superfluous.

The Win-Soft Starter selection and simulation program can be downloaded from:

<http://www.siemens.com/softstarter> > Software

More information can be found on the Internet at:

<http://www.siemens.com/softstarter>

SIRIUS soft starter training course (SD-SIRIUSO)

Siemens offers a 2-day training course on the SIRIUS solid-state soft starters to keep customers and own personnel up-to-date on configuring, commissioning and servicing issues.

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